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(1) Japanese Laid-Open Patent Publication No. HEI 3-183211, which was published on August 9, 1991. Applicants note that a copy of this document was previously submitted in a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement that was filed on July 21, 2004, and thus a copy is not being submitted herewith;

(2) European Patent Application Publication No. EP 0 261 584, which was published on March 30, 1988. Applicants note that a copy of this document was previously submitted in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on July 21, 2004, and thus a copy is not being submitted herewith;

(3) Korean Patent Publication No. KR 0235810, which was published on September 28, 1999. Applicants note that Japanese Patent No. 3364066, which issued on October 25, 2002, together with patent family member U.S. Patent No. 5,654,728 to KANAZAWA et al., which issued on August 5, 1997 are patent family members.

The category of relevance, pertinent portions, and claims to which this document is relevant, as ascertained by the Korean Examiner, is set forth in the Korean Office Action.

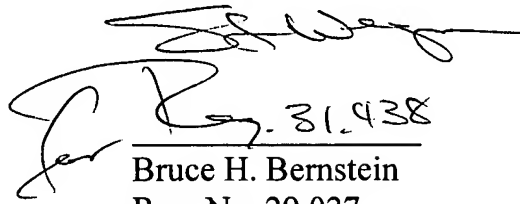
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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. A copy of Japanese Patent No. 3364066 is attached hereto and all of the documents are listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form. A copy of the Korean Office Action is also attached hereto, together with its English language translation. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the next official communication in the present application.

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Respectfully Submitted,
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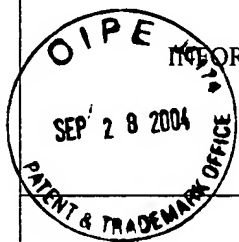
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